



UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
MINISTRY OF ENERGY
ENERGY AND WATER UTILITIES
REGULATORY AUTHORITY
(EWURA)



IN THE MATTER OF ROUTINE INSPECTION AT RETAIL OUTLETS

AND

IN THE MATTER OF CHECKING ON COMPLIANCE WITH CONSTRUCTION
APPROVAL REQUIREMENTS AT RETAIL OUTLETS AT UTAHIZA OIL AND
GAS COMPANY LIMITED FILLING STATION LOCATED AT PLOT NO.
P19017, TEMEKE AREA, TEMEKE MUNICIPALITY IN DAR ES SALAAM
REGION

(COMPLIANCE ORDER NO: 05.05.2024)
REFERENCE NO: BA.306/369/3257/ Vol.I /2

(Made under Section 39 of the EWURA Act, Cap. 414)

PRELIMINARIES

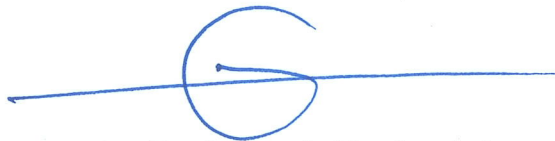
Following the inspection conducted on 12th April 2024, EWURA has noted with concern that Utahiza Oil and Gas Company Limited Filling Station located at Plot No. P19017, Temeke Area, Temeke Municipality in Dar es Salaam Region has constructed a petrol station without having applied and obtained construction approval from EWURA. This is contrary to Section 127(1) of the Petroleum Act, Cap.392 and Rule 4(1) of the Petroleum (Wholesale, Storage, Retail and Consumer Installation Operations) Rules, 2022 which require any person intending to construct a petroleum installation facility to obtain a construction approval before construction of the same. Constructing a petroleum installation facility without obtaining construction approval from EWURA contravenes the law and is punishable as such.

ORDER

Therefore, and based on the foregoing EWURA has considered the matter in accordance with the applicable law and has decided that Utahiza Oil and Gas Company Limited Filling Station located at Plot No. P19017, Temeke Area, Temeke Municipality in Dar es Salaam Region be and is **HEREBY ORDERED** to:

- (a) immediately stop the ongoing construction of the petrol station located at Plot No. P19017, Temeke Area, Temeke Municipality in Dar es Salaam Region; and
- (b) explain in writing within seven (7) days from the date of receipt of this Order why legal action should not be taken against you for undertaking the construction of a retail outlet without obtaining construction approval from EWURA.

GIVEN under the seal of the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority this 6th day of May 2024.



Dr. James A. Mwainyekule
DIRECTOR GENERAL

Order served upon, and received by:

.....this 13 day of MAY.....2024.
Name SHEILA+ JUNNY
Signature [Signature] (Official Stamp)
Designation SECRETARY

This Order is issued in duplicate. Sign both copies and retain your copy while the other copy is to be returned to the Authority to authenticate due service of the Order.